AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE GROUP 1796 PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q91901

Ikuo YAMAMOTO, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/559,765

Group Art Unit: 1796

Confirmation No.: 8041

Examiner: Kuo Liang Peng

Filed: December 7, 2005

For:

SILICON-CONTAINING FLUOROCHEMICAL SURFACE-TREATING AGENT

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

MAIL STOP AF

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 8, 2010, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

TABLE OF CONTENTS

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS	2
REMARKS	5